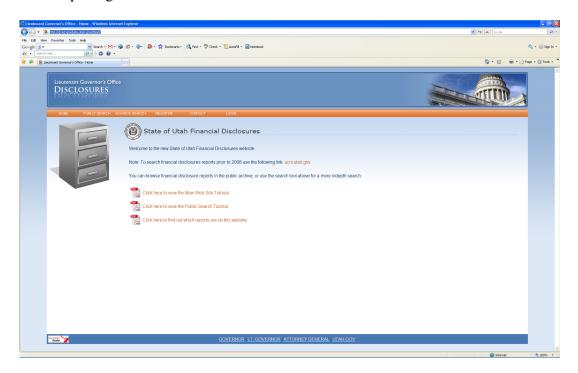
Candidates & Political Entities Tutorial

***Please note that the disclosure system currently only works with Internet Explorer and Adobe 8 or higher.

When opening the main screen will look like this:



To log into the site, click the login button (highlighted in red below):



Your user name and password are the same as the last system. If you have forgotten your username or password, please call the Lieutenant Governor's office at 538-1041.

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After first logging into the system, your opening screen will look like the one below:

There are a few places of importance on this screen:

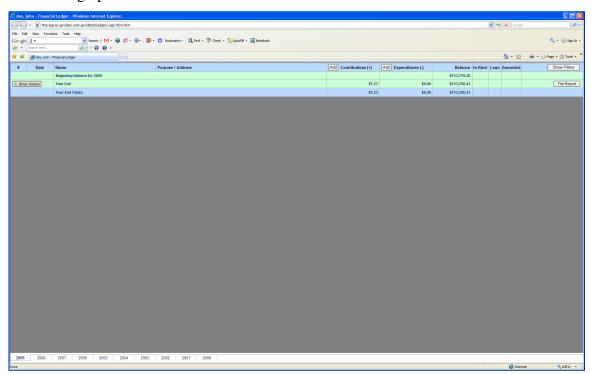
- 1) Filed Reports: this will tell you what reports have been filed in the past. Any changes to these reports will show as amended. To view past years you must select the appropriate year.
- 2) Pending Reports: these are the reports still to be filled.
- ***Remember: PICs, PACs and Corporations only file when they have reached the minimum threshold. If you are a PIC, PAC or Corp. and have no expenditures or contributions to file during a reporting period, you do not have to file a report. Those reports will still show up, but do not worry; they did not have to filed. However, current candidates and office holders need to file each report regardless if there was any activity or not. If eliminated, then only a year-end report is required.



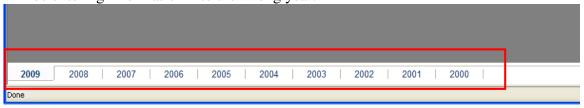
To enter contributions and expenditures, click on the <u>Financial Ledger</u> link (highlighted in red below):



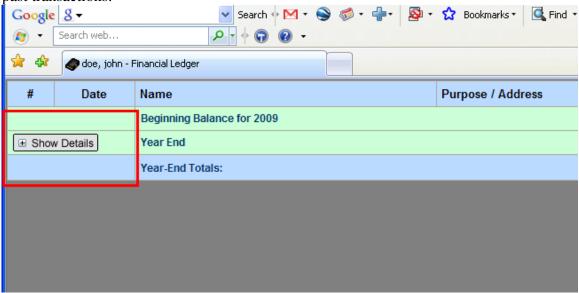
It will bring up a screen that looks like the one below:



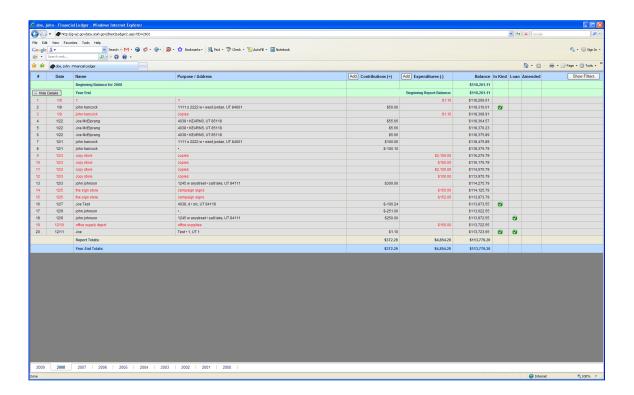
Note that on the bottom left-hand side of the page are tabs which will let you select the appropriate year. It is extremely important that the correct year is selected. If not you will be entering information into the wrong year.



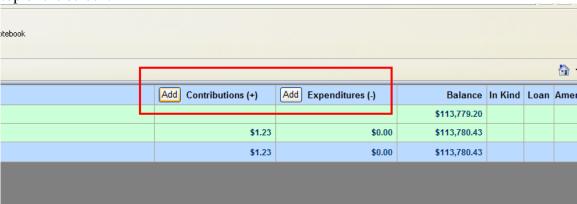
By clicking on the "show details" button you can expand the different reports and view past transactions:



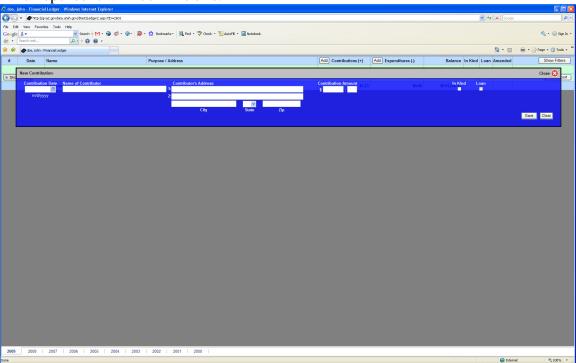
When expanded it will look like this:



To enter transactions you must open the ledger for contributions or expenditures at the top of the screen:



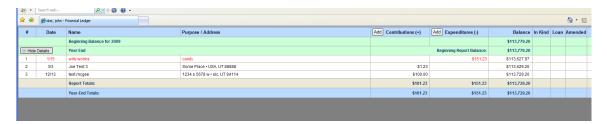
When opened it will look like this:



***Please note that the reporting system will automatically file the contribution or expenditure in the appropriate report according to the date entered. For example, if a contribution was entered under the date of December it would fall under the year-end reporting period, and would thus be filed (automatically) in the year-end report. But if you were to file a contribution with the date of October 3rd, it would fall the general election reporting period and would thus be filed in that report. And because this report had previously been submitted, the contribution will show as "amended."

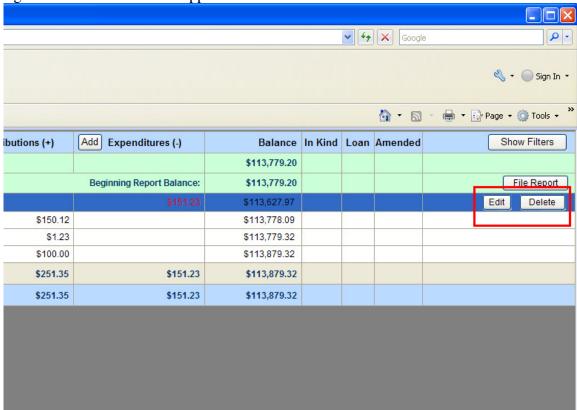
Also note that the dollar and cents amounts are in different boxes. Make sure to separate the two, so as to not make the amount appear a larger than it was.

Enter contributions and expenditures individually. Contributions will show up in black, expenditures in red. Like this:



Editing and Deleting

Before a report is submitted you will have the option of editing or deleting certain transaction. To access this screen double click on a transaction line in the ledger. To the right of the transaction will appear the buttons "edit" and "delete":



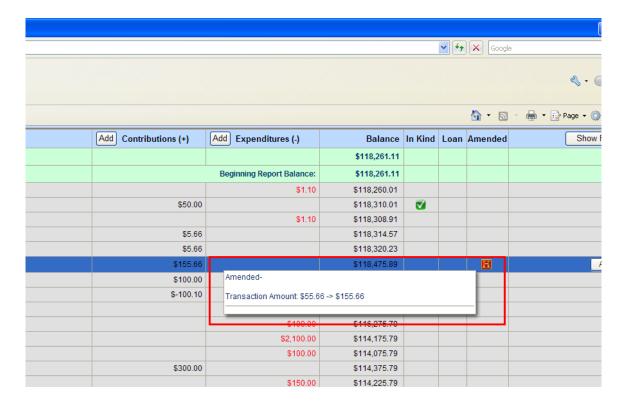
***Remember: this function is only available on transactions in reports that have not already been submitted. If a transaction has been submitted it will only have the option of amending or deleting.

Amending and Deleting

Once a transaction has been submitted it can only be edited or deleted. To do this open the ledger and double click on the item you want to be amended or deleted. The buttons will appear to the far right of the transaction:

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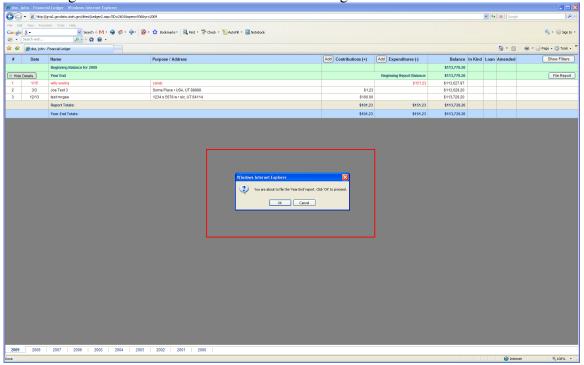
After an item has been deleted it will show in the ledger as you have corrected. However, an icon will show next to the transaction. Holding the mouse cursor over the icon will reveal previous details of the transaction and what was changed and amended. Deleted items will show as "deleted" in the ledger, however previous details will be viewable.



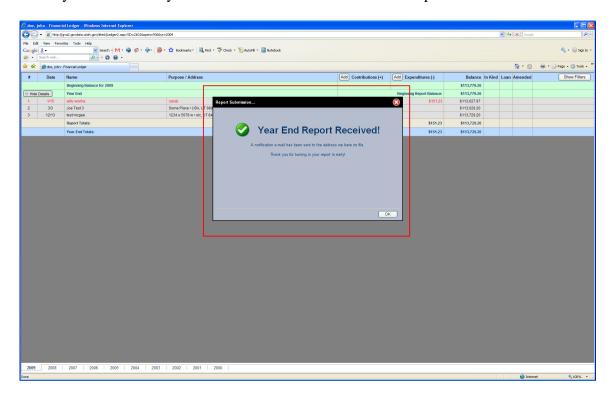
Once all the transactions for the year end report appear correct, you are now ready to file the report. This is done by clicking the "file report" button to the right of the ledger:



You will get a confirmation screen before submitting:



When you click "OK" you will receive confirmation that the report was submitted:



Once this is done you are finished and may exit out of the ledger by simply closing the window.

To see your submitted reports go back to your main profile screen and check under "filed reports":

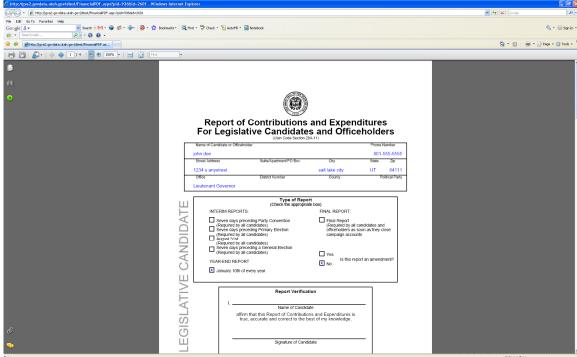


The report you just filed will have moved to the "filed reports" section.

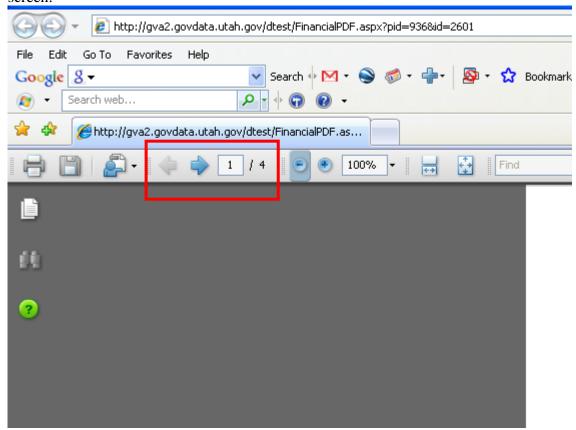
To view past reports, or the one just filed, simply click on the link:



Clicking the link will bring up an adobe .pdf of the report:



To go through the individual pages of a report use the blue arrows in the top, left of the screen:



Here are the reports you will find in www.disclosures.utah.gov:

Candidate/Officeholder

www.disclosures.utah.gov contains all 2008 candidates/officeholders' reports, if they had activity in the 2008 election cycle.

Senators and State School Board Members elected in 2006 had all of their election cycle reports from 2006, 2007, and 2008 transferred to www.disclosures.utah.gov.

PIC/PAC/Corporation

www.disclosures.utah.gov contains all reports and transactions on or after 1/1/2008.

Political Party

www.disclosures.utah.gov contains all reports and transactions on or after 1/1/2007.

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